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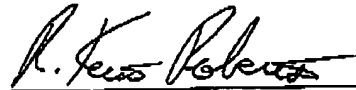
An office action dated June 16, 2006 ("Office Action") was received and reviewed. In the Office Action, a restriction requirement was given between two groups of claims. In order to comply with the requirement in the Office Action, applicant elects for prosecution Group I, which comprises claims 1-2, 4-5 and 8. Claims 11, 12 and 14 have been withdrawn. In view of the foregoing remarks, it is respectfully submitted a full and complete response to the Office Action has been made. The claims are in condition for allowance, and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

The Applicant believes that no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge deposit account number 08-2442.

The undersigned was not named in the papers previously entered in this matter. Enclosed is an *Associate Power Of Attorney* signed by David L. Principe, who was named in the papers previously entered in this matter. The enclosed *Associate Power Of Attorney* authorizes the undersigned to act in this matter, and instructs the USPTO to send all future correspondence to the undersigned's attention.

The Examiner is invited to call Applicant's attorney if any questions remain following review of this response.

Respectfully submitted,



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